



**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
NORTHERN DIVISION**

RICHARD ARJUN KAUL, MD

PLAINTIFF

v.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:24cv621-CWR-LGI

JAMES PAUL OETKEN, ET AL

DEFENDANTS

ORDER STAYING DISCOVERY AND CANCELLING CONFERENCE

This cause comes before the court on the Immunity Defense Motion or Jurisdictional Defense Motions (Motion to Dismiss- Docket No. 12 and Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction and Subject-Matter Jurisdiction – Docket No. 15) filed in the above-styled cause. Rule 16(b)(3)(B) of the Local Uniform Civil Rules for the Northern and Southern Districts of Mississippi provides:

Filing an immunity defense or jurisdictional defense motion stays the attorney conference and disclosure requirements and all discovery not related to the issue pending the court's ruling on the motion, including any appeal.

IT IS ORDERED that counsel for Plaintiff shall promptly notify the Magistrate Judge of a decision on the motions and shall submit a proposed order lifting the stay, if appropriate. Within fourteen (14) days of entry of the order lifting the stay, the parties shall confer in accordance with L.U.Civ.R.26(c), and all other deadlines will be determined accordingly. A telephonic case management conference shall be scheduled within sixty (60) days of the lifting of the stay. The parties should notify the Court by letter if within thirty (30) days of the lifting of the stay they have not received notice of the case management conference.

The Telephonic Case Management Conference set for January 9, 2025 is hereby cancelled.

ORDERED this 30th day of December, 2024.

/s/ LaKeysha Greer Isaac

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE